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TELEGRAPHIC.

OTTAWA, Jan. 7.

Colchester, Nova Scotia, is asking to repeal the Scott Act.
Dr. Rouleau has been appointed Belgian consul at Calgary.
Alderman Errat has been elected mayor of Ottawa by 500 majority.
Lieutenant Governor Royal has gone to Montreal. He denies having asked an increase of salary.
The major portion of the unselected lauds of the C. P. R. will probably be chosen in the Buffalo lake district, between Edmonton and the railway track, this section being considered the most fertile in the Northwest.
The railway committee of the privy council issued an order to-day granting the application of the Portage extension of the R. R. V. R. to cross the Pembina Mountain and Manitoba Southwestern branches of the C. P. R., but the province will have to bear the expense of placing the crossings.

OTTAWA, Jan. 9.

Rumored that parliament will not meet until March 1st owing to negotiations regarding the fisheries question.
Xavier Batoche, of Batoche, is in Ottawa to interview Sir John, Dewdney and Langevin on land matters, and to explain that he was not connected with the rebellion, as he was absent at the time.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 7.

Sullivan and Kilrain arranged in Toronto to-day for a fight for \$10,000 a side and the championship on July 8th near New Orleans.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 9.

O'Connor and Gaudaur will row on March 1st near San Francisco for \$1,000.
S. O. Clutter's woollen factory at Aymer, Ontario, was damaged by fire on the 8th. Loss \$8,000.

A violent wind storm which prevailed in Toronto on the night of the 9th cut off telegraphic communication with the east and destroyed a great deal of property. Several narrow escapes from death are reported.

Rev. Mr. Jeffrey, Methodist minister of Toronto, who resigned his pastorate by request of the church authorities some weeks ago, was presented with a handsome address and \$1,000 at a public meeting in Association Hall on the evening of the 8th. Mayor Clarke and upwards of 1,000 people were present. Jeffrey declared that no one living could lay a charge against him and prove it.

A cyclone swept the northern sections of the city of Reading, Pennsylvania, this afternoon, and laid waste everything in its track, about 200 yards in breadth. At least 60 people were killed and 100 injured. The Reading silk mill, four stories high, was blown down while 200 operatives were at work in it. The painting shop of the Reading Railway was also blown down and burnt. It is supposed that four men were burned in it. The loss to the railway company is \$75,000. Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, was also struck by the cyclone. Eight men were killed and over thirty injured. Some of the finest buildings in the city were wrecked. A rain and wind storm struck Sunbury, Pennsylvania, at 6 p. m. on the same day, blowing over the great nail mill. It is not known how many are buried in the ruins.

REGINA, Jan. 8.

J. W. Smith was yesterday elected mayor of Regina by a majority over ex-mayor Hamilton.

Last evening a large and influential meeting was held and resolutions passed condemning the Winnipeg Call for its action against N. F. Davin, M. P.

The Leader of yesterday has the following: "Ottawa, January 7th. For two sessions Mr. Davin, against the views of all others who had a right to speak in parliament, pressed the view that responsible government was needed in the Northwest. The assembly endorses that view, and my information is that it is about to triumph and the Territories will get responsible government this session. Mr. Davin's amendment last session secured the advisory board, which will now disappear and give place to what he contended for, namely, full responsible government."

PRINCE ALBERT, Jan. 2.

The town elections resulted as follows: Mayor Joseph Knowles, over Bain, Stewart, Johnson and Agnew. Councillors, Ward 1, McPhail and Wood; Ward 2, Donahoe and Goodfellow; Ward 3, Sanderson and Davis; Ward 4, Richards and Mair by acclamation.

Joe Nolin and Mrs. O'Neil, of Battelburg have been adjudged insane and sent to the Selkirk asylum.

LOCAL.

PARLIAMENT meets on the 31st, inst.

No passengers by Monday's stage.

W. L. Wood left for the Landing on Wednesday.

W. FIELDERS arrived from Calgary on Sunday.

THE ground is white this morning, but no more.

X. ST. JEAN has resumed the management of the Hotel du Canada.

JAS. McDONALD's dwelling was sheeted with dressed lumber this week.

VETERINARY SGT. JOYCE and four constables arrived from Calgary on Thursday.

M. McCauley has the contract of extending the curling rink at the H. B. fort to 160 feet.

D. H. MACDOWALL, M. P., left for Calgary on Wednesday, accompanied by J. B. Jacques.

M. McCauley arrived from Calgary on Saturday evening with freight for Ross Bros. and Brown & Curry.

R. LOGAN and Jas. Pruden and son arrived from Beaver lake this week. The latter brought a quantity of fur.

No service in the Methodist church tomorrow morning or evening, owing to the absence of the pastor at Battle river.

THE St. Andrew's Society will celebrate Burns' anniversary by a concert in the public school house on the 25th inst.

EDMONTON is blessed with two barber shops. W. Patton in Edmonton's saloon and James McMunn in the Alberta hotel.

THOS. ANDERSON is erecting a log stable 16x20 on lots adjoining his present residence. Jas. Kelly and T. Henderson, builders.

AN Ottawa telegram to the Call says "Albert Bradley, wealthy farmer of Nepean township, locates at Edmonton in the spring."

L. M. SAGE arrived on Tuesday from Calgary with 5,000 lbs of bacon for Norris & Carey on one wagon with a single span of horses.

THE auction sale on Saturday last of household effects belonging to P. G. Gray was well attended and satisfactory prices were realized.

P. G. GRAY left for Calgary on Wednesday evening, accompanied by D. McLeod. C. F. Strang is managing Lafferty & Smith's bank in his absence.

SENATOR and Mrs. Hardisty and Mrs. W. L. Wood left for Calgary on Tuesday, the former on his way to Ottawa to attend the session of parliament.

J. A. BELDEN arrived from Whiteway lake on Thursday of last week with 1,400 whitefish, which he sold to Geo. McBreen a Calgary freighter for 10c apiece.

THE Calgary Tribune mentions that eleven persons, six adults and five children passed through lately for the Icelandic settlement on Red Deer. They came from Dakota.

CURLING on Saturday January 5th: C. D. T. Becher, E. Raymer and Sgt. Davidson, Jas. Martin skip—11. Rev. D. G. McQueen, Jas. Lauder, sr. and Jas. H. Kelly, Jas. Johnstone skip—22.

CURLING on Tuesday evening. H. M. Baunerman, Sgt. Davidson and J. Graham, Campbell Young skip—5. A. Taylor, Thos. Stewart and Rev. Geo. H. Long, Jas. McDonald skip—12.

FIELDERS & EDMONTON's outfit arrived from Calgary on Tuesday evening, comprising 18 work oxen for the Battle river Indian agency and five wagons loaded with flour and general freight.

A PARTY of St. Albert half breeds who arrived recently from McLeod lake report fish plentiful in that lake and of very fine quality. They loaded three or four pack horses with one night's catch which they brought into St. Albert.

AN order in council has been passed granting 6,400 acres of land a mile in aid of the Red Deer Valley railway which is to run from Chénale station east of Calgary to the coal fields of the Red Deer. The railway company is the outcome of the Hand in Hand ranching company.

THE London Illustrated News of December 22nd, regular number, has a continuation of the sketches of points along the C. P. R. line which have been appearing of late. They are Boston Bar on the Fraser river, B. C. Snow Road at some peak near the Glacier house, B. C. and the Fraser Canyon, right above west of North Bend, B. C. The number is up to the usual high standard in every particular.

The Prince Albert Times, says that Sgt. Gordon, who arrived there lately from Regina is to be made Sgt major of F division.

ON Tuesday January 8th, Thos Smith was charged before Inspectors Casey and Piercy, J. P.'s with having sold intoxicating liquor to Indians on the 13th of December last. Sgt. Davidson was called to prove payment of money on that day to Chief Enoch for payment to certain Indians. Daniel Cardinal, Lazarus Lapotac and Antoine Makuqua, treaty Cree Indians of the Stony Plain reserve swore that they had received money from Enoch on that day with which they had purchased beer and also "fire water" at Thos. Smith's saloon. Part of the liquor had been consumed on the premises and two small bottles full had been taken away. No witnesses were called for the defence. Fined \$200 and costs \$20. R. Strachan for the crown; C. L. Shaw for the defence.

PETER M GIDEON, proprietor of the Excelsior nurseries at Excelsior, Minnesota, writes to the BULLETIN in reference to an article on fruit growing which appeared in this paper last fall that "It is not the extreme cold that kills, it is going into winter with the sap in full flow. What you want to begin with is the Minnesota state seedlings the hardest trees in the world." A circular accompanying the letter reads as follows: "State Seedling Apples for Distribution. These trees are from seed grown in the State Orchard, and are the property of the State of Minnesota, and will be sent out in lots of 100 or more to whoever will agree to take good care of them until they bear fruit, and then report in full to the Superintendent of State Fruit Farm, upon the quality, season, hardness, etc., of each kind as it comes into bearing. They are direct from the seed, not grafted stock; but as the seed grow in the State Orchard and only hybridized with the very best of apples, the chances are that there will be some fine new apples brought out from them. The charge is one dollar per 100. Trees two years old, though not large. All profits that may accrue will belong to the planter. Address Peter M. Gideon, Excelsior, Minnesota. Those trees will be sent to any part of the world if called for."

A MEETING of the board of trustees of Edmonton school district was held in the office of the secretary, C. F. Strang, on Monday January 7th, all members present. It was resolved that the present assistant teacher, Wm. Stiff be re-engaged for three months ending on March 31st, 1889, at a salary at the rate of \$600 a year. Also that the St. Andrew's society be allowed the use of the school house free for the purpose of holding Burns' anniversary concert. Also that the secretary be instructed to advertise in the Weekly Free Press and Mail for an assistant teacher (female) holding a first or second class normal school certificate. Applications to be received up to the 19th of February next. Term to be from 1st April to 31st of December 1889. Applicants to state salary and enclose certificate of qualifications and character. The following accounts were passed and ordered to be paid: Pay roll for December \$145.50; E. Raymer & Co., prizes, \$47.99; Express Co., charges on assessor's book, \$1.90; Mrs. Washey Joe, scrubbing school house, \$4; total \$199.39. C. F. Strang was re-engaged as secretary treasurer for the year ending December 31st 1889 at the same salary as at present, \$150 a year. The secretary treasurer was directed to copy the assessment rolls of the past three years into the assessor's book lately purchased, and that he be paid the sum of \$80 for such extra work.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

A special meeting of the Edmonton Curling Club will be held in McDonald & McLeod's work shop on Tuesday evening 16th January at 8 o'clock.

By order
CAMPELL YOUNG, Secretary.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that application will be made at the next session of the parliament of Canada for an act authorizing the construction of a railway from a point at or near Moose Jaw on the Canadian Pacific railway in a north westerly direction via Battleford to Edmonton and thence to the Peace river country; with power to build a branch railway from the point where said railway crosses the South Saskatchewan river to Prince Albert; and for other purposes.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, JAN. 12, 1888.

The Regina Journal is dealing editorially with the action taken by the Northwest assembly regarding the submission of the liquor question to a vote of the people of the Territories. Touching the decision of the legal experts that the assembly had not the right to submit the question to a direct vote of the people, the editor of the Journal submitted the question to the Hon. O. Mowat with the answer of the legal experts, and received the following reply: "Toronto, Dec. 11th, 1888. C. J. Atkinson, Regina. Why not pass an ordinance, and leave it to the courts to determine its validity? The question of constitutionality is not clear for or against. O. Mowat." In view of Mr. Mowat's reputation as an authority on constitutional questions his definite statement that the "question of constitutionality is not clear for or against" must be taken as of greater weight than that of the legal experts of the Northwest assembly, that that body "had no power to legislate in the direction intimated." While, in view of his uniform success in handling these questions his advice to go ahead and pass the necessary ordinance was ample warrant for the assembly to take the only course that offered an early solution of the present difficulty. Inasmuch as the opinion of the legal experts was only advisory and not controlling, and as it has been contradicted by such an eminent authority, it would appear that the only possible reason for refusing the direct appeal to the people that has been so universally demanded is now done away with, and if an appeal is refused next year some new reason will have to be discovered. Let those who bewail the present condition of affairs remember who is responsible for it, and so charge their representatives that at the next session of the assembly humbug and sectionalism will have to give way to the common interest and to common sense.

A French writer named M. de Flaix has advanced the theory that crime is more general in countries where the consumption of alcohol is smallest, and endeavors to prove it with the following statements: France consumes less alcohol than the United Kingdom, its birth rate is less, and its mortality, criminality and suicide rate are greater. Italy consumes very little alcohol; its criminality is appalling. Spain consumes three times less alcohol than Italy; its criminality is double. Sweden, Denmark and Norway, with a population of about one-third, consume four times the quantity of alcohol consumed in Italy, and yet the criminality of the former is very small, while that of the latter is appalling. These statistics are compiled to prove that the contention of prohibitionists connecting the mere consumption of alcohol with crime is unwarranted. But prohibitionists do not so contend. Those who do make that contention, if any one does, are those professed friends of temperance who favor what they are pleased to call moderate drinking. Who, because beer and wine contain less alcohol per gallon than whiskey, advocate the free introduction of these drinks as a step in the direction of temperance. They are pleased to point to the cases of France, Spain and Italy, where the consumption of wine is large and of whiskey small, in which countries they contend that drunkenness is not as prevalent as among the nations of northern Europe, although drinking of wine is more prevalent, as proof that greater freedom in the use of beer and wine in the northern countries would cause them to replace the stronger liquor, whose abuse in these countries prohibitionists cry out against. Prohibitionists do not fight against the mere material fluid called alcohol, which is a useful and necessary part of the present economy of the world. What they fight against is its abuse insofar as that abuse results in injury to the individual and the community, and against the traffic which results in that abuse. If the assertions made by M. Flaix regarding crime in France, Spain and Italy, as compared with that in the United Kingdom, Denmark, Norway and Sweden are true, the contention of prohibitionists that the less the restrictions the greater the traffic and the greater the traffic the greater the injury resulting is borne out; while the contentions of the advocates of beer and wine, as far as the practical results of the excessive traffic in these liquors is concerned, are completely overturned.

LAND LAW.

The resolutions adopted by the Northwest assembly at its late session asking for relaxation in the land laws towards actual settlers are of a sweeping nature. They ask (1) That payment for pre-emption in arrears be made five years from January 1st 1880 without interest; (2) That second homesteads be allowed those who settled in the Territories during the operation of the act allowing second homesteading; (3) That settlers who entered for an eighty acre homestead on cancelled lands under the regulations of 1885 be allowed a full quarter section; (4) That extra charges made for cancelled lands be thrown off; (5) That the price of pre-emption be reduced to \$2 an acre within twenty miles of a railway and to \$1 when at a greater distance; (6) That in the prairie districts tree cultivation be taken as homestead improvements; (7) That the present reserved sections wherever possible be done away with, and that in future grants in aid of railways be made in alternate quarter sections instead of alternate sections. A separate resolution asked for the abolition of the timber dues charged homesteaders. The adoption of the suggestions offered in these resolutions would mean almost a complete reversal of the land policy pursued since 1880.

At first sight it may appear presumptuous on the part of a comparatively insignificant body such as the Northwest assembly to suggest, however mildly, a change of policy in an important particular on the part of the government of the country at large. On the other hand it must be apparent that the assembly representing every section of the Northwest, and only the Northwest, must know better the full effect of any certain policy which operates chiefly within the Territories than even the general government, which only sees the matter from the outside. Of course these public lands in the Northwest, being the property of the whole country and administered by the general government, cannot be dealt with having an eye only to the wishes or interests of the people resident here. They are supposed to be handled for the purpose of increasing the population and wealth of the whole country. But this cannot be done successfully unless the welfare of the people of the Northwest, whose presence adds to the population and whose labor increases the wealth of the whole country—through whose presence and labor solely, as far as the Northwest is concerned, is that population and wealth increased—is fully consulted. Whatever is shown to tend against the increase of settlement, or prosperity of the settlers, of the Northwest, is thereby shown to be an injury to the whole country, of an extent proportioned to the importance of the Northwest as a part of the whole. The assembly has in effect declared that a relaxation of the present laws in favor of the actual settler would tend to increase population and prosperity in the Northwest. If this is the case—and no one can have a better knowledge of the facts than the members of the assembly—the interests of the whole country demand that the suggested relaxation be made.

The land policy prevailing since 1880 is based on the belief that population can be attracted, schools supported, revenue raised, railways built, and even the national debt paid by and out of the value of the naked lands of the Northwest. But hard experience has proven during those years that not the value of the mere land, but the return derived from its development by actual settlers is what must be looked to for the attraction of more settlers, the support of schools, the raising of revenue, the construction of railways and the lightening of the burden of the national debt. It is as plain as plain can be that every regulation, no matter how good its professed object, that tends to hamper settlers or settlement, tends directly against schools, railways and revenue, while every regulation that favors settlers and thereby encourages them to greater exertions and induces further settlement, tends as strongly in favor of schools, railways and revenue. When therefore the assembly asks that restrictions professedly made for the purpose of encouraging railways and raising revenue be relaxed in the interests of present settlers, it asks for what is not only in the interests of their set-

tlers but of railways and revenue as well. As for such restrictions as are made professedly in the interests of the settlers themselves, it is fair to suppose that in asking for the relaxation of these, the assembly whose members are of the people and chosen by the people know better than any mere official of the government possibly can, what is in the best interests of those whom they represent. The mere lands of the Northwest, no matter how high priced, how fertile, or how otherwise blessed, will never benefit commercial or manufacturing enterprise in eastern Canada except through their occupation and improvement by settlers. It is in the interest of the east as well as of the west that the efforts that have been put forth to secure revenue as well as to promote settlement should hereafter be concentrated on the latter object; for only by success in that can success in the former be attained. The attempt to do both at once has resulted in a practical failure to do either. Bitter experience in both east and west demands that the policy be changed, and that the settlement, not the sale, of Northwest lands be made the chief study of the department of the interior.

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St. Joachim's R. C. school district, school house frame, 24x30, two stories, A. F. Degague builder.	2 000
Edmonton School district, addition to school house, frame 28x46, plastered and painted, McDonald & McLeod builders.	1 650
Mrs. Kernohan, store and dwelling on Jasper avenue, frame 20x32, two stories, plastered, McDonald & McLeod builders.	1 500
S. Larue, dwelling frame, A. Macdonald & Co's., estate, 20x24 story and a half, plastered, and lot fenced.	1 000
St. Joachim's R. C. mission, addition to mission buildings, for kitchen and dining room frame 16x24, \$600; picket fence surrounding block of lots 1,650 feet \$400, A. F. Degague builder.	1 000
F. Pagerie, dwelling, frame on Jasper avenue 22x26 story and a half, J. A. Belden builder.	1 000
Fraser & Co., stable, frame, 18x32, cost \$450; Office, frame, 16x18, \$200; Addition to mill, 12x40 \$200.	850
P. Daly, addition to drug store frame, 16x30 one story, A. F. Degague builder, \$300; removal of buildings and improvements, \$500.	800
Lamoureux Bros, four coal barges, 12x40, A. F. Degague builder.	700
Jas. Gibbons, improvements to hotel \$450; stable, frame, 18x30, \$220.	670
Geo. Hutton, granary and stable, frame 25x25, two stories, W. Woelfle builder.	650
A. Macdonald & Co. repairs to Big Hotel, \$250 and removal and siding of dwelling on Main St. A. Macdonald & Co. estate \$250 McDonald & McLeod contractors.	500
B. Duplessis, dwelling frame, 24x26, story and a half.	500
Jas. Goodridge, stable frame, 32x34 14 feet posts.	500
W. J. Graham, dwelling Main St. 16x20 story and a half with addition in rear.	500
W. Johnstone Walker, addition to store, Fraser avenue, frame, 16x18, one story, plastered, McDonald & McLeod builders.	400
H. S. Young, addition to kitchen frame 14x16, story and a half, McDonald & McLeod builders.	350
Thos. Hourston, siding and improvements on stable 16x40, A. F. Degague, builder.	300
W. Woelfle, dwelling, Main street, frame 22x28, two stories, improvements.	300
Dr. Wilson, stable frame 12x24 12 feet posts and improvements, W. Woelfle builder.	300
Johnstone & Petrie, and other improvements.	300
Thos. Anderson, log stable, 16x20, Kelly and Henderson, builders.	250
A. Taylor, plastering dwelling, J. Looby, stable frame on A. Macdonald & Co. estate, 16x24 D. B. Wilson builder.	200
G. Roy, siding dwelling and registry office with dressed lumber.	200
Jas. McDonald, sheeting dwelling, with dressed lumber.	180
Martin Ramsford, addition to stable 24x18.	150
John Foley, dwelling, frame 12x18 M. McCauley, addition to livery stable, frame 12x18.	150
C. F. Strang, improvements to dwelling, A. Macdonald & Co. estate.	150
J. Knowles, log root house with shingled roof, and fencing lots.	150
Thos. Stewart, addition to dwelling on Fraser avenue 10x24 one story, plastered J. Knowles builder.	150
S. D. Mulkins, addition to saloon, 10x12, F. A. Osborne, builder.	120
Ross Bros improvements to store.	100
J. McL. Peacock, improvements to saloon.	50
Jas. Lauder, outbuildings.	50
E. Raymer, improvements to store.	50
Sundry improvements.	500
Total.	\$21 070

The Marquis of Lothian, Sir Chas. Tupper, Mr. King, and Mr. Thos. Skinner are appointed a commission by the British government to select Highland families for colonization in Canada.

The Keewatin Hustler has the following to say in its first issue: "Shall we have a Paper? This is a pertinent question, and one that is of deep interest to the business men of Rat Portage, Norman and Keewatin. It is in response to this question we have made the attempt. Whether we succeed in accomplishing the desired end, remains to be seen. We don't go to your council asking for a bonus. We are depending on the support of our advertisers. And a fair showing in the way of subscriptions. True, our paper is small. But it can grow. And it hasn't a patent outside. Nor a patent inside. Neither is it made up of plate matter. The great bulk of the matter is original. Perhaps you didn't need to be told that. We believe the public are tired paying money for what they have already read. We believe a small paper full of spicy original matter, and judicious selections, will be appreciated. We believe that a large paper, made up of patent outside, inside and plate matter, is not. We could furnish a large paper, made up as above, for a dollar a year. But as long as we can, we intend keeping our columns filled with as much material as we can scrape together, that has not appeared in other papers. If you like our style, and would like to see us succeed, send along your subscription."

Galt Reformer: "The overwhelming majority of Canadians have made up their minds long ago on these momentous questions: That they will have none of Imperial Federation, much less of Annexation; that the day when circumstances call for a change in our present relations to Great Britain, will be born the Canadian nation, with resources and possibilities never surpassed by any new nationality with the single exception of the United States; and finally, that no policy will be favored which makes, or seems to make, against our national aspirations. This is the key to the present political situation. * * * However much it may be unseen or ignored, the national idea stands paramount. Any political action which even seems to be anti-national is, it appears to us, a foredoomed failure. * * * The sooner this 'trend of circumstances' is recognized, and strong ground taken up in harmony with the patriotic national aspirations of our people, the better will it be for Canada and the Liberal party, and the sooner will we get rid of the oligarchy which has brought so many evils upon the Dominion."

A LATE occurrence at Whitewood on the C. P. R. tells as heavily against the 4 per cent beer license as anything possibly could against prohibition, in the matter of infringement on the liberty of the subject. A member of one of the colonies of foreigners living near Whitewood was to be married, and desired to assist the festivities with a little beer. He went to Whitewood and at one of the hotels procured several bottles with which he started for home. But the license regulations say that the beer must not be consumed off the premises for which the license was granted. In consequence the prospective bridegroom was arrested, his beer confiscated and himself and the wedding party subjected to serious inconvenience, disgrace and delay.

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Rough lumber per M \$20.	Stock boards M \$25
Dimensions:	
Up to 16 feet \$20; for each additional ft \$1.00	
Plank, rough, \$20; dressed on 1 side 30.00	
Dressed on both sides 35.00	
Flooring per M \$40.	Siding per M \$40
Rough Battens per M \$25.	
Fence Pickets, rough, per b'dle 3.00	
Dressed and pointed 4.00	
Shingles, per M \$4.00.	Lath per b'dle 7.00
Base " " \$40.00.	Panel per M \$35.00
Shelving 1x10 per M dressed 2 sides 32.50	
Inch lumber dressed 1 side per M 30.00	
Wainscoting 1x3 dressed 1 side and beaded, per M 40.00	
Beading per lineal ft 1c.	Band moulding 2 1/2c
5 casing per lineal ft 2c.	O. G. crown " " 2c
Quarter round " " 1c	
Sills 6x6 per lineal ft.	Spruce 8c Tamarac 10c
" 8x8 " " " 10c	" 12c " 12c
" 10x10 " " " 12c	" 14c " 14c
On bills of \$300 and upwards 10 per cent.	
off for cash within thirty days.	
Special rates for points down the river.	
P. G. GRAY, Agent.	

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR DIVORCE

Notice is hereby given that George Clift King of the Town of Calgary in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories of Canada, Merchant, will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at the next session thereof, for a Bill of Divorce from his wife Louisa King formerly of the said Town of Calgary, now of Edmonton in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories of Canada, on the ground of adultery.

GEORGE CLIFT KING,

BY BLECHER & SMITH,

his Solicitors.

Dated at the Town of Calgary in the District of Alberta, Northwest Territories of Canada, the 10th day of August, A. D. 1888.

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Have on hand a Large Stock of DRY LUMBER,

Which they will sell at the following rates:

Rough Lumber, per M	\$20.00
Stock Boards, per M	25.00
Dimensions:	
Up to 16 feet, per M	20.00
Each additional foot, \$1.00	
Plank, rough, " dressed on 1 side \$30; 2 sides	20.00
Rough Battens, per M	25.00
Fence Pickets, rough, per bundle	3.00
" " dressed and pointed	4.00
Shelving, 1x10, dressed on 2 sides	32.50
Inch Lumber, dressed on one side	30.00
Wainscoting, 1x3, dressed on one side and beaded, per M	40.00
Lath, per b'dle \$7.	Shingles, per M 4.00
Panel, per M 35.	Base, per M 40.00
Flooring, per M 40.	Siding, per M 40.00
5 casing p. lineal ft. 2c.	O. G. crown 2c
Quarter round 1c	
Beading, per lineal foot	1c
Band Moulding, per lineal foot	2 1/2c
Sills 6x6 per lineal ft.	Spruce 8c Tamarac 10c
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On bills of \$300 and upwards 10 per cent.	
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for an act to incorporate the Assiniboia, Edmonton & Unjiga Railway Company with power to construct a railway from some point on the Canada Pacific Railway at Swift Current or convenient thereto and running thence in a general westerly North westerly direction, crossing the North Saskatchewan River at or near Edmonton, to the Peace River at or near to the mouth of the Smoky River.

ROAF, ROAF & ARMSTRONG,

Solicitors for the Applicants.

Dated Toronto, 1st November, 1888.

THE CUSTOMS.

NUMEROUS complaints have been made lately of the management of customs matters at Calgary. The following is the latest instance. A parcel of holiday trifles was ordered in November last from Chicago by Rev. Mr. Long, for use at the Methodist Sunday school entertainment on Christmas Eve. They were forwarded by mail, postage pre-paid of course, and arrived at Calgary in due time. The parcel was there taken out of the mails by the customs officer and held for the duty, it being in the customs office on December 11th. A notice from the customs officer left Calgary by the mail of the 20th, having missed the mail of the 13th, which reached Rev. Mr. Long on the 25th, the day following that on which it was desired to use the articles, informing him that the parcel was in the customs office awaiting payment of charges but not stating what the charges were. Rev. Mr. Long then wrote asking the amount of the charges, and that the parcel be forwarded by mail. Instead of this being done it was forwarded by express, and arrived on Monday. Had the parcel been forwarded by express, as it was finally without orders to that effect, immediately on arrival at Calgary it would have reached Edmonton on December 17th in ample time. As it is, the parcel was unnecessarily delayed three weeks and cost the amount of the express charges over and above the first cost, duty and through postage. If the customs houses are instituted for the inconvenience of the public of course this method of doing business is all right, but if not it is decidedly all wrong.

PETITION.

The following petition to parliament embodying part of the resolutions of the Northwest assembly on land matters in the Territories, was circulated for signature last week amongst the farming community of this district and was largely signed. Senator Hardisty has taken the petition to Ottawa. D. W. Davis, M. P. for Alberta has also been asked to give it his support. D. H. Macdowell, M. P. for Saskatchewan, who was here this week, was also seen regarding it, and promised assistance.

That whereas experience has proved that for the success of the Northwest settler it is necessary that he should engage in both grain, and stock raising, for which it has been shown he requires not less than half a section or 320 acres of land; and

Whereas, from the fact that many settlers have been unable to pay for their pre-emptions and are thereby prevented from acquiring sufficient land for successful mixed farming it has been shown that the prices of pre-emptions are placed at too high a figure; and

Whereas the possibility of securing an adequate amount of cheap and good land forms the greatest possible inducement to immigration and permanent settlement, which is discouraged in proportion as the price of land is increased; and

Whereas it appears to your petitioners that the price of pre-emptions at such distance from an operated railway as to derive little or no benefit from the existence of that railway should not bear the present proportion to the price of pre-emptions within easy reach of the accommodation afforded by the railway;

Therefore your petitioners pray that the prices of pre-emptions be reduced to the following figures, viz:

For lands within twenty miles of an operated railway two dollars an acre, and for lands at a greater distance from an operated railway one dollar an acre.

Whereas the present system of having odd-numbered sections withdrawn from homesteading is an injury to settlers, inasmuch as by preventing close settlement it throws additional burdens on them for carrying on schools and for necessary public improvements; and

Whereas the settlement of these lands would be of more value to the country and bring more revenue into the treasury than their mere sale; and

Whereas the throwing open of these sections for homesteading would be a further inducement for settlers to come to these Territories seeing they would then enjoy the advantage of close neighborhood with other settlers;

Therefore your petitioners pray, in the interests of the Dominion, as well as of these Territories and the individual settlers thereof, that wherever possible the odd-numbered sections be thrown open for homesteading; and that whenever in future it is found necessary to withhold lands from homesteading for the purpose of aiding railways the reserves be in alternate quarter sections instead of in alternate sections or townships.

Whereas that part of Northern Alberta included in the land district of Edmonton is a region in which timber for fuel, fencing and building purposes is abundant and therefore does not require protection as greatly as in the prairie regions; and

Whereas your petitioners find the payment of dues on timber required for their fuel and the improvement of their homesteads a

heavy and troublesome tax upon them; more especially because, being far removed from the cash market afforded by the railway, cash with which to pay these dues is difficult to procure; and

Whereas the levying of an unnecessary tax upon the use by settlers for their own purposes of the abundant timber of this region detracts by so much from the natural advantages which it offers to settlers and thus tends as a bar to improvement, and to keep-out settlement;

Therefore your petitioners pray that no charge be made for dry wood used by homesteaders for fuel purposes—as by using up the dead timber fires are kept from spreading and the growing timber protected—and that each homesteader be allowed free the timber required by him for fencing and building on his homestead and pre-emption.

THE Christmas number of the London Illustrated News, American edition, has been received. It is a splendid number of 24 pages containing two short stories "Two Christmas eves" by M. J. and "Paul Jones's Alias" by David Christie Murray, beautifully illustrated. It also has a number of full page drawings, of the highest excellence, suitable to the season. The cover has a beautiful colored drawing of a little girl holding a peacock feather fan. The number is accompanied by three magnificent chromos, of the greatest beauty and merit; "A Daughter of Eve,"—a little girl with an apple in her hands—from the picture by M. L. Waller; "Charming Kate,"—a ball room belle—by Florence Gravier; and "A Hunting we will go,"—a gentleman dressed for the hunt, carrying a little girl on his shoulder while she swings his riding whip. The price is 50 cents.

The Calgary council for the current year is constituted as follows: Mayor, D. W. Marsh; Council—W. F. Orr, G. C. King, Geo. Murdoch, Jos. Bannerman, J. G. Fitzgerald, Archd. Grant.

Six of the herd of buffaloes taken from Winnipeg to Kansas were killed by others of the herd in the cars. They fought in the cars all the way down.

Buffalo meat was for sale in Battleford at Mahaffy & Clinkskill's store on December 22nd. No mention is made of where it was procured.

The Red Deer correspondent of the Calgary Tribune mentions a coal seam on the Red Deer below the crossing 51 feet in thickness.

The city of Winnipeg will have to pay the expense of calling out the troops at the time of the crossings trouble.

Thrashing returns at Red Deer hill settlement Prince Albert average 24 of wheat, 34 of barley and 47 of oats.

The Manitoba government contemplates the completion of the Portage extension this winter.

Bishop Clut of Mackenzie river is on his way home to his diocese from Eastern Canada.

Tenders are asked at Battleford for 200 cords of stone for the Battleford bridge.

A new railway line from Minneapolis to the Sault is projected.

The Battleford Joker says fever is prevalent at Prince Albert.

Three inches of snow at Battford on December 24th.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Saturday morning, January 12th, 1888. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max.	Min.
Saturday,	41	
Sunday,	38	24
Monday,	38	27
Tuesday,	26	21
Wednesday,	25	60
Thursday,	16	-1
Friday,	10	-1
Saturday,		6

Barometer rising, 27.540.

For the 24 hours ending at noon on Monday the wind travelled 422.5 miles.

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One upright Bell Piano, took 1st Prize at London Exhibition. Can be seen at MRS. KERNOHAN'S, Jasper Avenue.

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ESTRAY.

Came to my premises, on South Side on November 2nd, one Bay Mare with white face, one fore and two hind legs white to the knees. Owner to prove property, pay all expenses and take the same away.

LAWRENCE GARNEAU.

NOTICE.

Of adjournment of Sheriff Sale of Lands in Saskatchewan Roman Catholic Public School District No. 2, for school taxes;

The above sale has been postponed until January 24th, at 2 p. m. at the School House Port Saskatchewan.

P. W. KING, Sheriff.

Per W. S. ROBERTSON, Deputy Sheriff.

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Four new boats, medium size, now on hand.

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BARRISTER, AVOCAT, ETC., ST. ALBERT.

D. R. H. L. MCINNIS,

PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, ACCOUCHEUR. Temporary Office, Dr. Wilson's office.

H. C. WILSON, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND ACCOUCHEUR. Office next Daly's Drug Store. Consultation hours:—3 to 5 p. m.

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